

Table 19 - 2001 ABCs, TACs, and Overfishing Levels of Groundfish for the Western/Central/West Yakutat (W/C/WYK), Western (W), Central (C), Shelikof Strait, Eastern (E) Regulatory Areas, and in the West Yakutat (WYK), Southeast Outside (SEO), and Gulf-Wide (GW) Districts of the Gulf of Alaska. [Values are in metric tons]

Species	Area <sup>1</sup>	ABC	TAC	Overfishing
Pollock <sup>2</sup>				
Shumagin	(610)	35,240	31,724	
Chirikof	(620)	14,260	12,841	
Kodiak	(630)	26,650	23,996	
Shelikof		20,680	18,619	
WYK	(640)	2,520	2,235	
Subtotal	W/C/WYK	99,350	89,415	117,750
SEO	(650)	6,460	6,460	8,610
Total		105,810	95,875	126,360
Pacific cod <sup>3</sup>				
	W	24,400	18,300	
	C	38,650	30,250	
	E	4,750	3,560	
Total		67,800	52,110	91,200
Flatfish <sup>4</sup>				
	W	280	280	
(deep-	C	2,710	2,710	
water)	WYK	1,240	1,240	
	SEO	1,070	1,070	
Total		5,300	5,300	6,980
Rex sole <sup>4</sup>				
	W	1,230	1,230	
	C	5,660	5,660	
	WYK	1,540	1,540	
	SEO	1,010	1,010	
Total		9,440	9,440	12,300
Flathead sole				
	W	8,490	2,000	
	C	15,720	5,000	
	WYK	1,440	1,440	
	SEO	620	620	
Total		26,270	9,060	34,210
Flatfish <sup>5</sup>				
	W	19,510	4,500	
(shallow-	C	16,400	12,950	
water)	WYK	790	790	
	SEO	1,160	1,160	
Total		37,860	19,400	45,330

Table 19. (continued)

Species	Area <sup>1</sup>	ABC	TAC	Overfishing
Arrowtooth	W	16,480	8,000	
flounder	C	99,590	25,000	
	WYK	24,220	2,500	
	SEO	7,860	2,500	
Total		148,150	38,000	173,550
Sablefish <sup>6</sup>	W	2,010	2,010	
	C	5,410	5,410	
	WYK	2,060	2,060	
	SEO	3,360	3,360	
Subtotal	E	5,420	5,420	
Total		12,840	12,840	15,720
Pacific <sup>7</sup>	W	1,280	1,280	1,520
ocean	C	9,610	9,610	11,350
perch	WYK	870	870	
	SEO	1,750	1,750	
Subtotal	E			3,090
Total		13,510	13,510	15,960
Short	W	210	210	
raker/	C	930	930	
rougheye <sup>8</sup>	E	590	590	
Total		1,730	1,730	2,510
Other	W	20	20	
rockfish	C	740	740	
<sup>9,10</sup>	WYK	250	150	
	SEO	3,890	100	
Total		4,900	1,010	6,390
Northern	W	600	600	
Rockfish <sup>10,12</sup>	C	4,280	4,280	
	E	N/A	N/A	
Total		4,880	4,880	5,780
Pelagic	W	550	550	
shelf	C	4,080	4,080	
rockfish <sup>13</sup>	WYK	580	580	
	SEO	770	770	
Total		5,980	5,980	9,040
Thornyhead	W	420	420	
rockfish	C	970	970	
	E	920	920	
Total		2,310	2,310	2,770

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Demersal shelf rockfish <sup>11</sup>	SEO	330	330	410
Atka mackerel	GW	600	600	6,200
Other <sup>14</sup> species	GW	N/A <sup>15</sup>	13,619	N/A
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TOTAL <sup>16</sup>		447,710	285,994	554,710

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1. Regulatory areas and districts are defined at § 679.2.
2. Pollock is apportioned in the Western/Central Regulatory areas to the Shelikof Strait conservation area (defined at §679.22(b)(3)(iii)(B)) in the A and B seasons only (§679.22(b)(3)(iii)(A)) in accordance with §679.22(b)(3)(iii)(C) and the remainder to the three statistical areas in the combined Western/Central Regulatory Area outside the Shelikof Strait based on the relative distribution of pollock biomass at 56 percent, 4 percent, and 40 percent in Regulatory areas 610, 620, and 630 respectively. During the C and D seasons, pollock is apportioned based on the relative distribution of pollock biomass at 42 percent, 25 percent, and 33 percent in Regulatory Areas 610, 620, and 630 respectively. These seasonal apportionments are shown in Tables 21 and 22. In the West Yakutat and Southeast Outside Districts of the Eastern Regulatory Area, pollock is not divided into seasonal allowances.
3. The annual Pacific cod TAC is apportioned 60 percent to an A season and 40 percent to a B season in the Western and Central Regulatory Areas of the GOA. Pacific cod is allocated 90 percent for processing by the inshore component and 10 percent for processing by the offshore component. Seasonal apportionments and component allocations of TAC are shown in Table 23.
4. "Deep water flatfish" means Dover sole, Greenland turbot, and deepsea sole.
5. "Shallow water flatfish" means flatfish not including "deep water flatfish," flathead sole, rex sole, or arrowtooth flounder.
6. Sablefish is allocated to trawl and hook-and-line gears (Table 20).
7. "Pacific ocean perch" means Sebastes alutus.
8. "Shortraker/rougheye rockfish" means Sebastes borealis (shortraker) and S. aleutianus (rougheye).
9. "Other rockfish" in the Western and Central Regulatory Areas and in the West Yakutat District means slope rockfish and demersal shelf rockfish. The category "other rockfish" in the Southeast Outside District means Slope rockfish.
10. "Slope rockfish" means Sebastes aurora (aurora), S. melanostomus (blackgill), S. paucispinis (bocaccio), S. goodei (chilipepper), S. crameri (darkblotch), S. elongatus (greenstriped), S. variegatus (harlequin), S. wilsoni (pygmy), S. babcocki (redbanded), S. proriger (redstripe), S. zacentrus (sharpchin), S. jordani (shortbelly), S. brevispinis (silvergrey), S. diploproa (splitnose), S. saxicola (stripetail), S. miniatus (vermilion), and S. reedi (yellowmouth). In the Eastern GOA only, "slope rockfish" also includes northern rockfish, S. polyspinus.
11. "Demersal shelf rockfish" means Sebastes pinniger (canary), S. nebulosus (china), S. caurinus (copper), S. maliger (quillback), S. helvomaculatus (rosethorn), S. nigrocinctus (tiger), and S. ruberrimus (yelloweye).
12. "Northern rockfish" means Sebastes polyspinis.
13. "Pelagic shelf rockfish" means Sebastes ciliatus (dusky), S. entomelas (widow), and S. flavidus (yellowtail).
14. "Other species" means sculpins, sharks, skates, squid, and octopus. The TAC for "other species" equals 5 percent of the TACs of assessed target species.
15. N/A means not applicable.
16. The total ABC is the sum of the ABCs for assessed target species.